

## ST. LOUIS STARILED

Rumor of Yellow Fever Having  
Invaded That City.

## DOCTORS FIND NO SIGNS OF THE PEST

Nine New Cases Have Been Reported In  
New Orleans, but the State of Affairs  
Seems to Be Improving There—Dr.  
Wyman's Daily Bulletin.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 22.—This city had a yellow fever scare yesterday, but there seems to have been but little foundation for it. Health Commissioner Starkloff made an examination of the suspected case and declared that it showed not a single symptom of the dread disease.

The suspect is William Tript, 39 years of age, who reached the Marine hospital Monday morning. He had a high fever and said he came from the government dredgeboat Alpha, engaged in reclamation work near East Cairo, Ky. Dr. C. E. Decker, physician in charge of the Marine hospital, became interested in the case when he was told by Tript that he had been working on the Alpha, for that boat had been used to transport several cases of yellow fever to the Marine hospital at Cairo, Ill. He telephoned Health Commissioner Starkloff, and that doctor came to the hospital.

In regard to the case, Dr. Starkloff says: "I have made a thorough examination of Tript with Drs. Jordan and Decker. The diagnosis as presented to me makes the case to be one of ordinary intermittent fever. If it is yellow fever, it is of a very mild type. I shall have the patient sent to quarantine and take all necessary precautions."

Two hundred clerks, with their families, employed in the general offices of the Mobile and Ohio railroad company at Mobile, have arrived here, temporary headquarters of the road having been established in this city until after the yellow fever has died out in the south. Dr. Starkloff was asked what would be the effect of so many people from the midst of the fever stricken district coming into this city. He said he had no fear that they would spread the plague. At the worst, there could be only sporadic cases, and these would be quickly reported to the health department and promptly isolated. The doctor declared that it was too cold here for a spread of the disease.

## Nine New Ones, but Little Fear Felt.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 22.—There were nine cases of yellow fever reported to the board of health last night. There were, however, no deaths recorded, and the doctors all agreed that the situation was steadily improving. The fever at present, instead of developing into a malignant type, is as mild if not milder than when it first appeared.

The inspectors of the board of health report that most of the cases that had come under their observation were progressing favorably. There are only two cases which give the attending physicians any reason for alarm. These are the new cases:

Joseph Roth, 1211 Cleburn street; Fred Gaud, 5335 Marais; Mrs. McAndrews, 120 Howard; child of Judge Lea, 1010 Dublin street; John Battist, 1535 Baronne street; Miss Nellie Seannell, 111 Berlin street; C. W. Wood, 1455 Octavia street; R. F. Reynolds, 1708 Coliseum street; S. J. Jour, 1663 Laura street.

Some new places of infection are included in these cases. Up to the present time there has been little dread of the fever. Sporadic cases are appearing about town, but the board of health thus far has been enabled successfully to quarantine each case that has appeared. Confidence locally is steadily increasing. A number of cases have now been discharged, and the total number of cases receiving strict attention does not exceed ten. Half a dozen towns by telegraph and telephone notified the authorities here that they had concluded to withdraw their restrictions against the receipt of freight from New Orleans.

## Only One New Case in Mobile.

MOBILE, Sept. 22.—There has been but one new case of yellow fever reported, a child named Willie Goodloe, living in the infected district. One case was discharged, leaving under treatment 23, all of whom are progressing favorably. So many of the reported cases have failed to further develop yellow fever characteristics that not a few of the doctors seem disposed to doubt the correctness of the diagnosis, and one of the most experienced of the doctors has been heard to say that he would not report any more cases as suspicious. Dr. T. O. Summers, representing the Tennessee board of health, has spent two days here. He made two trips to the persons sick with the fever, and his opinion is that there is an exceedingly mild type of yellow fever here. Traffic is picking up despite the rigid quarantine. The Mobile and Birmingham road yesterday got through a train with local and through cotton and some through freight for the first time since the 12th.

## Summary of Fever Situation.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 22.—Surgeon General Wyman has sent the following telegraphic summary of the yellow fever situation to the state health authorities throughout the south and southwest: "Total yellow fever cases officially reported as follows: Mobile, to Sept. 19, 15; Sept. 20, 1; Cairo, Sept. 19, 2; Sept. 20, 2; New Orleans, to Sept. 19, 30; Sept. 20, 18 of these 18 previously existing, but reported on the 20th; Barkley, Miss., to Sept. 18, 10; Biloxi, to Sept. 19, 22; Edwards, to Sept. 19, 16; Sept. 20, 2; Ocean Springs, to Sept. 18, 11; Pascagoula, to Sept. 19, 1; Scranton, to Sept. 19, 2; Sept. 20, 15; Perkinson, to Sept. 19, 1." The foregoing was sent to the secretaries of the boards of health at Raleigh, Florence, S. C.,

Fowling Green, Ky.; Montgomery, Ala.; Jackson, Miss.; Jacksonville, Fla.; Little Rock, St. Louis, Nashville, Indianapolis, Springfield, Ill.; Columbus, O.; New Orleans, Austin and Atlanta.

A similar bulletin will be issued daily and telegraphed to the state authorities at the foregoing points.

From Mobile the report comes that two new cases had been officially reported, one recovery, no deaths. The surgeon in charge says he is issuing certificates and disinfecting the baggage of all departing passengers.

Eighty persons were admitted to the detention camp at Fontainebleau, Miss. There are 136 persons at the camp.

## FOR THE INSURRECTION.

Statement From the Spanish Government  
About Munitions Sent to Cuba.

MADRID, Sept. 22.—An official statement has been issued showing the number of men and the quantities of munitions of war sent to Cuba and the Philippine islands during the insurrection now in progress in those quarters.

Between November, 1895, and May 1897, the Spanish government sent to Cuba 181,738 soldiers, 6,261 officers, of whom 40 were generals; 212,542 guns, 326,495 kilograms of powder, 92,938,671 cartridges, 15,112 swords, 91 cannons, 12 mitrailleuses and 29,599 shells.

Since the outbreak of the present rebellion in the Philippines the government has sent 27,760 soldiers, 831 officers, of whom 9 were generals; 43,190 guns, 24 cannons, 24,910 kilograms of powder, 21,729,335 cartridges and 30,604 shells.

According to telegrams from Orense, capital of the province of the same name, on the river Minho, the palace of the Marquis of Lois has been destroyed by a dynamite bomb.

The outrage was perpetrated during the absence of the family, and no one was injured.

The government has decided to send a memorandum to the pope on the subject of the excommunication by the bishop of Malorca of Senor Reverter, the Spanish minister of finance, who has incurred the bishop's displeasure by taking possession, it is alleged, of the treasury of a church in his diocese.

The memorandum will be presented personally to his holiness through Mgr. Merry del Val.

## NATIONAL LEAGUE.

## Scores of the Baseball Games.

At New York—  
Baltimore ..... 3 0 0 1 0 0 2 0 4—10  
New York ..... 1 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0—3  
Baltimore—Hits, 15; errors, 1. New York—Hits, 11; errors, 5.

At Boston—  
Brooklyn ..... 12 0 0 5 2 0 0 2 0—22  
Boston ..... 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—5  
Brooklyn—Hits, 31; errors, 3. Boston—Hits, 10; errors, 5.

Second game—  
Boston ..... 1 0 2 0 0 4 2—9  
Brooklyn ..... 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—1  
Boston—Hits, 12; errors, 0. Brooklyn—Hits, 5; errors, 2. Game called on account of darkness.

At Pittsburgh—  
Cincinnati ..... 1 1 1 2 2 0 4 0—11  
Pittsburgh ..... 1 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0—3  
Cincinnati—Hits, 14; errors, 2. Pittsburgh—Hits, 9; errors, 5.

At Philadelphia—  
Washington ..... 0 1 2 0 1 0 0 1 0—5  
Philadelphia ..... 2 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—4  
Washington—Hits, 9; errors, 6. Philadelphia—Hits, 5; errors, 4.

At Cleveland—  
Cleveland ..... 0 0 2 1 1 1 2 0 1—5  
Chicago ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 0—7  
Cleveland—Hits, 14; errors, 2. Chicago—Hits, 11; errors, 3.

## Standing of the Clubs.

	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Baltimore	87	35	.713
Boston	88	37	.704
New York	78	45	.634
Cincinnati	69	52	.569
Cleveland	64	53	.552
Washington	57	65	.464
Brooklyn	57	65	.466
Pittsburgh	55	65	.457
Chicago	55	69	.444
Philadelphia	53	72	.424
Louisville	51	72	.411
St. Louis	37	95	.280

## CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

Editor Dana of the New York Sun is seriously ill.

Joseph Ladue, the Klondike pioneer, called on President McKinley.

Three children were burned to death in a fire at Sturgeon Falls, Ont.

Passenger and stock trains collided near Muncie, Ky., but nobody was killed.

The body of a well dressed man was found floating near a wharf at Plymouth, Mass.

James H. Eckels, comptroller of the currency, is at Colorado Springs on a pleasure trip.

It is feared that Thorn, the Golden-Supple suspect in New York, may attempt suicide.

It is rumored that Arroyo, the assassin of President Diaz of Mexico, was killed not by a mob but by police officers.

Alvin Seaman, a Thurston (N. Y.) farmer, hearing that a verdict had been given against him in a breach of promise suit, dropped dead.

Miss Harmon, sister of Judson Harmon, President Cleveland's attorney general, was arrested in New York on a charge of stealing a ring from a jewelry store.

No Explanation for the Explosion.

LONDON, Sept. 22.—A dispatch to the Daily Mail from Vienna says that no explanation, official or otherwise, is offered of the sharp detonation which was heard on Monday when Emperor William and Emperor Francis Joseph were leaving the railway station at Budapest. It has been variously attributed to a fog signal and to an accident to electrical machinery. In the panic caused by the report and the thick cloud of dust and smoke which followed 76 persons were injured.

## WAS A COOL OLD LADY

Aroused by a Burglar She Engages  
In Conversation.

## RECALLS THE MEMORY OF HIS MOTHER

The Housebreaker Wakens When His  
Dead Parent Is Spoken of and Walks  
Out of the House Without Pur-  
suing a Single Thing.

MOUNT VERNON, N. Y., Sept. 22.—Tears were in a burglar's eyes as he crawled out of a window of Mrs. Pardon Hazeltine's house. A sweet, brave, white haired woman, Mrs. Hazeltine, had reminded him that he had a mother and that if she were alive she would be old and feeble and helpless, like the woman he had come to rob.

The burglar hung his head.

"Mayne she's looking down at you now," said Mrs. Hazeltine.

The burglar's lips began to tremble.

"If she could speak to you, she would also beg you to go away and not harm or rob a poor old woman," continued Mrs. Hazeltine.

The burglar broke down.

Mrs. Hazeltine lives at 467 Columbus avenue. She was awakened by a slight noise and beheld a strange man standing in the door of the bedroom. She was not frightened.

"How did you get in, and what do you want?" she asked in a clear voice.

"In the door," she says he answered.

"Tell the truth," said the motherly old woman, with old fashioned firmness.

"You know you didn't. Now, didn't you break in by the window?"

"Yes."

"Sit down," said the old woman softly.

The burglar sat down awkwardly.

"Aren't you ashamed to rob an old woman like me?" asked Mrs. Hazeltine.

"How did I know you were old?" answered the burglar.

"Did you ever have a mother?" asked Mrs. Hazeltine gently.

The burglar made no answer.

"She would be about my age, and her hair would be as white as mine," continued Mrs. Hazeltine, "wouldn't she?"

"Yes."

"Is she alive or dead?" asked Mrs. Hazeltine in her low, frail voice.

The burglar turned white. "Dead," he answered, "thank God."

After the burglar's eyes filled with tears Mrs. Hazeltine asked him:

"Won't you show me the way you got in?"

"Yes," he answered, and they descended the stairway together.

One of the windows in the parlor was open.

"There," he said.

"Won't you please go out the same way you entered, for your mother's sake?" asked Mrs. Hazeltine appealingly.

"Yes," he answered brokenly, "for your sake and for my dead mother's sake I will obey you."

The burglar climbed out of the window and vanished in the night.

Mrs. Hazeltine said, after describing how she had pleaded with the burglar:

"I had some valuable papers in the house. I thought he might shoot me. But as soon as I saw his face I was not afraid. He did not look like a cruel man."

"He was young, with a dark complexion and smooth, well featured face. He wore a dark suit, four in hand tie and fedora hat. I hope he will be a better man in the future. I know those tears did him good."

## Lobster Factories Closed Down.

ST. JOHNS, N. F., Sept. 22.—There is indignation in St. Georges bay over the action of the British warships in closing down the lobster factories of residents and confiscating the products. On Saturday the cruiser Pelican landed a body of men, who surrounded the factories, ejected the inmates and took on board all the packages of prepared lobsters that were ready for shipment. The residents are much incensed at this proceeding, a repetition of which is threatened all along the French shore. The excuse given by the marines is that the factories interfere with those of French fishermen. The people threaten to resist the marines, and serious consequences are feared before many days elapse. The colonial government is powerless to interfere, as the warships have supreme authority in the matter.

## Runaways Bound For the Klondike.

ROSTON, Sept. 22.—Murdoch McKenzie, 18 years old, and Harvey Burnett, 17, both of Worcester, were arrested here and are being held by the police until something is heard from their parents, from whom it is supposed they have run away. When they were arrested, they were trying to find a steamer bound for the Klondike, with the intention of shipping on it. Each carried a heavy valise, in which was a supply of clothing and supplies.

## A Weighman Causes a Strike.

STEEUBENVILLE, O., Sept. 22.—The Long Run and Dillonvale miners are out on a strike because the company objects to a check weighman whom the Miners' union elected for Dillonvale. At Kelly's Coal works the company has threatened eviction to the Huns whom they brought in to take the strikers' places, but who refuse to go to work. The Huns promise to leave if the strikers pay their fares, and the Miners' union is soliciting funds to send them elsewhere.

## Agree on a Scale.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Sept. 22.—The scale agreed upon by the joint conference of miners and operators has been finally adopted by all except the northern Illinois operators.

## ON SERIOUS CHARGES

Suit to Remove Two Trustees of  
Millionaire Rogers' Estate.

## EMBEZZLING LAID AT THEIR DOOR.

One of the Trustees a Son of the De-  
ceased, the Complainants His Two Sis-  
ters, and Nearly \$213,500 Is  
the Alleged Deficit.

NEW YORK, Sept. 22.—A summons and complaint filed in the county clerk's office here asks for the removal of two of the three trustees of the estate of Jason Rogers, the millionaire locomotive builder at Paterson, N. J., who died at Morrisania, N. Y., in August, 1893, on the ground of misappropriation and embezzlement. These charges are made at the instance of Mrs. Mary J. Westerfield and her sister, Flora E. Rogers, daughters of Rogers and heirs to the estate. The trustees accused are Thomas Rogers, brother of the complainants and also one of the heirs, and William Caldwell. The third trustee, who is said to be blameless in the wrongdoing, is William Shillaber, Jr. The latter, it is stated, is willing to resign his trusteeship.

Trustees Rogers and Caldwell, the papers state, in September, 1893, presented their accounts to the surrogate of Westchester county, N. Y., in which they claimed to have a balance on behalf of the principal trust fund of \$483,588.76 and on account of the special estates in trust for Mary J. Westerfield \$128,952.48 and for Flora E. Rogers \$145,836.62.

The complaint next says:

"Since the entry of the last decree the plaintiffs have learned that at the time the decree was entered the defendants, William Caldwell and Thomas Rogers, did not, in fact, have the same or anything like the amount they claimed to have in their possession; but, on the contrary, a very considerable part of the assets and amounts whereof they were charged as such trustees had been withdrawn and misappropriated by them in and prior to January, 1896, and that there was then a deficit of \$213,499.93, which sum the said William Caldwell and Thomas Rogers have appropriated and applied to their own use in violation of their duties as trustees and of their duty to plaintiffs."

It is said that as a result of the misappropriation of the funds of the trust estate the latter has been seriously impoverished and wasted and that the plaintiffs are not in receipt of sufficient amounts for their proper support and maintenance as designed by the testator.

In conclusion, the two sisters say that the trustees are still in possession of all the property of the estate which their brother Thomas and Caldwell have not misappropriated and embezzled and ask that they be removed until suitable trustees and a receiver are appointed to look after the estate. In addition the sisters ask that proceedings be taken to recover the amounts of the deficits and that Thomas Rogers be debarred from any further interest or claim in the estate until the amount of the deficit is paid back.

When Jason Rogers died, he, before creating the trust fund for the benefit of his son Thomas and two daughters, provided liberally for them with absolute bequests, and in the case of Thomas as he has left a large number of bonds and mortgages, 100 shares in the Rogers Locomotive works at Paterson, N. J., and stock in the Paterson and Hudson River railroad and the Paterson and Ramapo railroad.

Among the property left by Jason Rogers which figured in his large estate was extensive real estate in the upper part of this city, principally in the Harlem and Annexed district.

## A Very Guileless Farmer.

BROCKTON, Mass., Sept. 22.—It has been learned that Martin Wood, a Bridgewater farmer, 70 years of age, was swindled out of \$5,000 Monday. A would be land purchaser called at his home and asked to be shown over a piece of property near by. They met a tramp on the road, who claimed to have recently fallen into a large inheritance, and eventually a game of three card monte was proposed. The farmer won \$2,000, being staked by the man with him, who had first "won" a like amount from the wanderer. The farmer was induced to put up \$5,000 as a guarantee of good faith. He drew it from the National bank at Middleboro. It was put into a tin box with the other money and given to him. He drove home. The land prospector, who was to join him after doing a little business in Middleboro, never came back. Mr. Wood found that the box contained three stones and a warning to keep the matter quiet. No trace of the swindlers has as yet been secured.

## Situation in Athens Serious.

ATHENS, Sept. 22.—The political situation arising out of the conditions of the peace convention is serious. M. Delyannis, former premier and leader of the dominant party numerically in the bule, has asserted that if the proposed scheme of foreign control should prove to imply an interference with the sovereign rights of the state he would not hesitate to advise the chamber to reject the treaty. The tone of the press continues indignant. The Asy and The Akropolis declare it "the most iniquitous document of modern times." Many are preparing to demonstrate against the treaty.

## Suicide of Aged Warrior.

BAITMORE, Sept. 22.—William Howard, aged 63 years, a veteran of the Mexican and civil wars, committed suicide at his residence, 881 Ramsey street, by firing a bullet into his right temple. Mental derangement is given as the cause. A widow, three sons and three daughters survive him.

## STATE RESTS ITS CASE.

Ex-Judge Vincent Says the Luetgert De-  
fense Will Produce Startling Evidence.

CHICAGO, Sept. 22.—The direct evidence in the Luetgert case is in, and the state has rested. Yesterday afternoon the last witness of the prosecution was heard. This witness was Mrs. Louise Miller Johnson. She came into court supported by Captain Herman Schuetzler of the Sheffield Avenue police station. Mrs. Johnson has been ill for several weeks, and the prosecution feared she would not be able to appear to testify. When sworn, Mrs. Johnson testified that upon one occasion she saw Luetgert in a rage chase his wife out of their house. The sausage maker, the witness said, was armed with a revolver. He called his wife names and threatened to shoot, but did not. Ex-Judge Vincent did not cross examine this witness at length. When she left the stand, State Attorney Deneen said, "If the court please, the state rests." There was a general movement in the crowded room as the spectators glanced toward Luetgert and his counsel. Luetgert leaned forward and whispered to ex-Judge Vincent.

The latter arose and made a formal motion that the case be taken from the jury on the ground that the state had failed to make out a case. Judge Tutthill promptly overruled this motion without argument.

Then ex-Judge Vincent stated that owing to the lateness of the hour he would like to postpone his opening address to the jury. There was no objection to this, and an adjournment was taken.

It required just 20 days for the presentation of the evidence of the prosecution. Ex-Judge Vincent says the defense will present its side of the case in just half that time.

"My address to the jury in opening will be short and directly to the point," he said. "We deny the murder. The corpus delicti has not been proved as the law requires, and this fact cannot be assumed nor inferred from such testimony as has been presented here. We will explain away all the evidence brought out here by the police department after months of investigation and manipulation. I do not care to give out in full our defense until we get started, but I promise some startling developments before we are through."

## Hurricane in Florida.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Sept. 22.—Florida was visited by a West India hurricane yesterday. The maximum velocity here has been between 30 and 40 miles, accompanied by sharp gusts. In Tampa the rainfall was more than six inches, while here it has been half that amount. At Fernandina considerable damage was done along the river front. Two persons, names unknown, are reported to have been drowned. The center of the storm on the east coast appears to have passed over Titusville and Cocoa, about 160 miles south of this city. At the former place 15 inches of rain fell, and washouts are reported on the railroads. At the latter place several buildings were demolished, and several fishermen probably lost their lives.

## Pleads Guilty to Theft.

LINCOLN, Neb., Sept. 22.—Insisting that under the statutes he had committed no crime, Eugene Moore, ex-state auditor of public accounts, pleaded guilty to embezzling funds to the extent of \$229,328. Moore's contention is that the money, which consisted of insurance fees, should under the law have been paid to the state treasurer instead of to himself and that he is responsible only to insurance companies, by which the money was paid. His action was due to an understanding between attorneys for the prosecution and the defense, and the case will go to the supreme court whatever the decision of the lower court may be.

## Not a Knife, but Pneumonia.

BOSTON, Sept. 22.—Crescenzo Ferogamo was put on trial in the superior court, charged with manslaughter in killing his cousin, Filippo Greco, in a house in Barbours alley, Aug. 15. Ferogamo is defended by Lawyer Michon, who outlined two points of defense, the first of which is that Ferogamo stabbed Greco in self defense, and the second is that Greco died of pneumonia and not of the wound caused by the knife.

## New Professors at New York College.

NEW YORK, Sept. 22.—The trustees of the College of the City of New York announced the appointments of Dr. Carlotta L. Bauman, formerly of the American School of Classics at Athens and later instructor of Latin at Yale, as professor of Greek at a salary of \$2,200, and Joseph Allen, formerly instructor of mathematics at Cornell, at a salary of \$1,500.

## Held Up in New York.

NEW YORK, Sept. 22.—Two men entered the drug store of Gordon & Flacks, at the corner of Market and Madison streets, 187, 189 and 201 at the point of a revolver held up Gordon, who was behind a counter, and frightened Mrs. Flack, who entered the store. They got away with about \$15 worth of property. The attempt was a daring one, for at the time the streets were very full.

## A Long Jump For Notoriety.

NEW YORK, Sept. 22.—William Gantz, aged 25, a Brooklynite, jumped from the Brooklyn bridge and was picked up by the government tug Manhattan apparently safe and sound. At the hospital to which he was taken it was decided by the surgeons that he was not hurt in the least by the leap. He jumped for notoriety's sake. Now he will have to appear in a police court.

## Well Known Musician Dead.

NYACK, N. Y., Sept. 22.—Professor Grenville D. Wilson, the best known musician in this part of the state, died suddenly at his home, South Nyack, of neuralgia of the heart.

## WALL STREET PANIC

Big Slump In the Railroad Stocks  
on 'Change in New York.

## ESTIMATED DROP OF \$20,000,000.

The Bears Profited by Cuban War News  
and the Announcement of Mr. Mc-  
Kenna's Opinion on the Discrim-  
inating Clause in the Tariff.

NEW YORK, Sept. 22.—Stocks dropped in Wall street yesterday in a way that has not been equaled for months.

For a time it looked as though the bottom had fallen out of the market and that a panic would follow.

As it was, within a few hours—minutes they seemed to those interested—fully \$20,000,000 was taken from the value of the stocks as they had appeared in the quotations at the opening of the trading in the Exchange.

That many firms were not forced to ruin is deemed remarkable. As it is, however, it is certain that hundreds and perhaps thousands of small speculators have lost their all.

These men have been investing their money in the belief that the continued bull influence would be kept up. As soon as they profited by one rise in the market they reinvested their original capital and their winnings in new ways. They were in no position to withstand a falling market, and when it came ruin followed for them.

And the chances are that the end is not yet and that another slump will follow.

Of the causes for the slump, many are given. At least half a dozen facts contributed to the sudden action.

Of these perhaps the most influential was the steady but quiet realizing by big bull operators, which has been going on for days. These men bought stocks before the present rise began. They took advantage of every circumstance to force the price up.

Having sent the price to a point far above where it had been for months they felt that they had gone as far as was safe. Then they began selling out.

This change was not noticed on the market, for so soon as one of the big operators began selling his holdings were at once bought by some of the smaller fry, whose belief in a continued bull market was not hampered by definite knowledge.

In this way the stocks, though kept at top notch prices, passed from the hands of strong operators who could support them if necessary into the possession of men who had no resources and must let go at the first bear raid.

And the bears were waiting for just such an opportunity as came yesterday.

In the first place, the rumors of trouble and possible war with Spain aided them. This caused a feeling of uncertainty in foreign countries, and instead of being buyers these markets showed a weakness, if they were not actively unloading.

Coupled with this came Attorney General McKenna's decision in regard to the 10 per cent discrimination clause in the Dingley tariff law.

This clause was aimed to give United States railroads an advantage over those of Canada.

His declaration against it was a blow to American securities, for it left the United States roads open to business rivalry with Canadian lines.

These two points would have caused a slump anyway, but when taken with a tightness of money which is wanted for other business and a







## IN ANCIENT GOSHEN.

**A Pleasant Dance—Personal Mention—Concerning Feuds and Frights, Reasonable and Unnatural and Natural.**

From a Special Correspondent.

—Miss Mary Bacon and brother, Master Daniel Bacon, gave a dance to a number of their friends at the home of their uncle, Hon. Henry Bacon, last evening.

—A number of Goshen people took advantage of the dollar excursion on the Erie, to-day.

—Misses Josephine and Lizzie Wisner are the guests of Miss H. H. Phillips, at her home in this village.

—Pierre Miller and family, of Flushing, are the guests of Mrs. George C. Miller, at her home on South street.

—We are not so apt to make out a catalogue of things to be thankful for as we are to add up our miseries and mournfully contemplate the sum total of them, but did it ever occur to any one to be thankful that he did not live in a part of the country where feuds are carried on? Most of us have our prejudices, it is almost impossible to get along without them. Even St. Paul, who seems to have had his share of human nature, says: "Inasmuch as flesh in you, live peaceably with all men." It certainly lies in some to live peaceably a great deal more than in others, but almost every one has his differences with his neighbor at times. Imagine the effect upon your nervous system of living where such differences are adjusted by means of a shot gun. Wasn't it Agag who "walked delicately" when he was stepping up to meet his death? Just fancy how delicately we should make our way to do the family marketing; how careful we should be not to attract attention; what a modesty shrinking from the public gaze we should experience if we were parties to a feud. There are various occasions upon which we are apt to feel fear. Sometimes when we really have cause and others when we might be wholly unreasonable. Perhaps it is the sudden and causeless fear that attacks us occasionally, that is hard to bear than that which has a more solid foundation, the nameless terror that steals out from the darkness behind you late at night and stands behind your chair until you feel its presence and do not dare to turn your head for fear it is really visible; or the one that lurks behind a half-closed door in an unlighted room that you may wish to enter when you are alone in the house. There is something particularly unpleasant about a door which stands in such a way. No one ought to leave it like that. All doors should be shoved close up against the wall at nightfall and not allowed to stand in such suggestive positions. The writer remembers once sitting up late at night after all other members of the household had betaken themselves to bed to read that absorbing work, "The Mysteries of Paris." Entirely lost to her surroundings, she had just descended into a noisome cellar in company with some of the most hardened criminals in Paris, and was assisting at a particularly cold blooded and horrible murder when the lamp went suddenly out and left the world in darkness to her. A more badly frightened person it would have been hard to find in the village of Goshen, and she has since burned the midnight oil only for literature of a milder description. It was not a very sensible scare, but it was a very bad one.

## MARY POWELL EXCURSION.

**To Be Run by the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen Sept. 23.**

On Thursday, Sept. 23rd, the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen will run a Mary Powell excursion from Middletown to New York, rate for round trip only one dollar. Tickets may be secured in advance from members of the brotherhood. If the day should prove to be stormy the excursion will be postponed until Friday, 24th, inst. The object of this excursion is a worthy one, it is only for the brotherhood sick benefit fund, and should be liberally patronized. Don't forget the date, Sept. 23rd.

**Proletyemen Will Cut the Cakes at Their Banquet.**

The Electric Social Club was presented with two large cakes, Tuesday, by Mrs. Hiland H. Hunt. The cakes will be cut at a banquet to be given in the near future by the club on the \$100 given them for carrying the fair crowds without an accident.

**Pine Apple Dyspepsia Cordial.**

It has recently been discovered that the juice of the pine apple rapidly digests both animal and vegetable food and is nature's greatest digestive. The Pine Apple Dyspepsia Cordial combines with the delicious juice of the pine apple other grateful and superior stomach tonics which renders it the most marvelous discovery and cure known for indigestion, dyspepsia, loss of appetite, sour stomach, weight and tenderness in stomach, nausea and sick stomach, sick headache, sleeplessness, frightful dreams, and all troubles arising from disease of the stomach or disordered digestion. It is delicious to take and on account of its wonderful digestive power gives almost instant relief. Sold by J. E. Mills, druggist, No. 2 Empire Block, Middletown.

**Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away.**

If you want to quit tobacco using easily and forever, be made well, strong, magnetic, full of new life and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder-worker, that makes weak men strong. Many gain ten pounds in ten days. Over 400,000 cured. Buy No-To-Bac of your druggist, under guarantee to cure, 50c or \$1.00. Booklet and sample mailed free. Ad. Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

Just try a 10c box of Cascarets, the finest liver and bowel regulator ever made.

## THE NEW YORK MILK MARKET.

**Generally Demoralized but Things Might Be Worse—Surplus Sold at Cut Rates.**

From the Milk Reporter.

Taking into consideration the existing generally demoralized condition of the market the situation is what might be called in fairly good shape—for the New York milk business. While the surplus is now less than a month ago it is still sufficient to induce sellers to make concessions and cutting prices goes merrily on, the grocers buying at such prices as they demand and retailing it at cost—or less.

There is no prospect of such improvement as will warrant paying the producer a living price or enable dealers to realize fair profits until consolidation makes it possible for the seller to have something to say in regard to prices charged. During September considerable milk has been delivered to grocers for \$1.10 per 40 quart can and retailed from their stores at 3 cents per quart. As the Consolidated Exchange named 90 cents per can as the price to be paid producers for September milk it is difficult to see how the dealers can pay this and from 25 to 32 cents per can freight and realize a profit if they must sell it at \$1.10.

While every dealer admits that he sells at low prices they all claim to do so in self defense. It is always the "other fellow" who cuts the price and the rest must meet it or lose trade. And that "other fellow" keeps so securely hidden that his identity has never yet been discovered.

**A Tramp Lawyer Defends Hobos.**

At the examination of the tramps, arrested in Port Jervis for breaking into the saloon of Stephen Clune and stealing a quantity of whisky, a considerable amusement was afforded by Ed. Devere, one of their number, who acted as lawyer for the gang and subjected all witnesses to a shrewd and searching cross-examination. The evidence against the tramps was conclusive but Devere, who had considerable knowledge of the methods of legal procedure, did all that any one could do to save his fellows.

**Sprinkling Tracks With Oil to Keep Down Dust.**

The Pennsylvania Railroad, Monday, sprinkled with crude petroleum three miles of roadbed, ballasted with gravel, in order to keep down the dust. The sprinkling is an experiment and if it proves satisfactory all the gravel-ballasted parts of the line will be sprinkled, next year. Before being used the oil is so treated as to make it non-combustible. The cost of sprinkling is about \$30 a mile and three applications are needed each year.

## VERNON.

**Heavy Shipment of Peaches—Many Personal and Local Notes.**

Correspondence of Argus and Mercury.

—The peach crop is rapidly decreasing. Last week about 1,500 baskets of peaches were shipped from this station daily.

—George Williams has moved in his father's house, near this place.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Longwell, of Warwick, were visiting in this place Sunday.

—William Mulberry, of Bayonne, N. J., but formerly of this place, is at present visiting in town.

—The Williamsville school commenced last Monday, with Miss Sadie Burrows as teacher.

—Miss Edna Hooker is teaching the Canister school.

—Quite a number of our people were called to Newton, last week, to attend court.

—William Willis was quite dangerously ill last week.

—F. H. Campbell was in town Monday.

—C. T. Mott & Company have erected a shed near their store, which will be found very convenient when the snow is blowing.

## JOHNSON.

**Successful Lawn Party—New York Employees to Visit the Condensery—Personal and Local Notes.**

Correspondence of Argus and Mercury.

—J. R. Manning has moved into his new house at Gardenville.

—Floyd Thompson, an employee of Slawson Bros., New York, is visiting at the home of his uncle, Albert Slawson.

—The lawn party recently held at the pleasant home of H. Whitford for the Sunday School of this place was well attended and a handsome sum was received.

—Mrs. Eliza Walsh, of New York, is visiting Mrs. William Slingerland.

—Fifty employees of the Borden Condensed Milk Company, New York, will enjoy a day's outing at Johnson, Thursday. There will be a ball game in the village that afternoon.

—Joseph Farrell, of Florida, spent Saturday with friends here.

—Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Smith returned home from their bridal tour Thursday.

—The Florida Base Ball Club will play the Johnson team at this place, Saturday next.

**Sclerotic Rheumatism Cured.**

L. Wagner, wholesale druggist, Richmond, Va., says: "I had a fearful attack of sclerotic rheumatism, was laid up almost two months; was fortunate enough to get Mystic Cure For Rheumatism. This cured me after doctors' prescriptions had failed to have any effect. I have also heard of fine results from others who have used it." J. E. Mills, Druggist, No. 2 Empire Block, North street, Middletown, N. Y.

## HIS CLEVER RUSE.

**How a Congressman Swells the Heads of His Constituents.**

There is a member of congress who does not live a thousand miles away from Pennsylvania and New Jersey who has hit upon a very clever scheme to make himself solid throughout his district. In fact, this congressman, says a New York correspondent of the Philadelphia Press, is continually hitting upon such schemes, and they extend so far that he can probably represent his district as long as he wants or until his constituents conclude to put him in some other office, the governorship of his state, for instance.

His latest little scheme to bring himself pleasantly to the recollection of a large number of his constituents is unique. There are several hundred post offices in his district, and, of course, the usual number of applicants for each one. The indorsements of the applicants are on file at the post office department, and usually contain a long list of names of prominent patrons of the office.

When the congressman makes a recommendation of a man for any post office he takes the list of the man's indorsements and sends each one a personal letter much after this fashion:

"In accordance with your recommendation I have to-day named \_\_\_\_\_ for postmaster at \_\_\_\_\_."

Each man who receives such a letter immediately has a new idea of his own in politics and is pleased to think that his congressman recognizes his importance. In any case, the receipt of a personal letter from a member of congress is apt to tickle the vanity of a private citizen.

## HIS CARD.

**It Saved Him the Annoyance of Foolish Questions.**

The fellow who gets a two weeks' vacation usually has enough to contend with in the shortness of his holidays without being subjected to a wholesale cross-examination at the hands of his numerous solicitous friends when he gets back, says the Philadelphia Record. There is always the chap who insists upon firing the same old stock questions and making the same trite comments, until the poor devil who has just returned to work grows decidedly weary.

One of these came back to town a couple of days ago and immediately upon his appearance in his favorite haunts it was: "Hello, old man! Been away?" Or: "Pretty well unburned, ain't you? Where have you been? Have a good time?" and a host of other tiresome greetings embellished with interrogation points.

The second day he determined to save his breath, and to all his anxious friends he handed a card on which he had written: "Yes, I have been away. I spent my vacation at Atlantic City. I had a good time. I know I am unburned. I agree with you that I am looking better than before I went away. I noticed that it rained considerably. I didn't go fishing. Any queries not answered here will be attended to by mail upon receipt of a stamped and addressed envelope." The scheme has worked very well.

## The Laugh on Dobson.

Dobson—Say, old man, you are so absent-minded I believe you are in love! Hobson—Me? Oh! ho! ho! ho! Why, don't you know I'm married? Puck.

## LOCAL EVIDENCE.

**One Line of Middletown Is Worth a Column of Foreign Testimony.**

Make a mental note of this. The indorser is well known in Middletown.

His veracity is unquestioned. You are reading local evidence. Investigating home testimony. Middletown news for Middletown people.

It is not from Maine or Michigan. Suspicion can't lurk around it. Honesty is its prominent characteristic.

Home indorsement its salient point. —E. M. Hammewell, representative of the printing and book binding establishment of A. E. McIntyre, of No. 32 North street, says:

"For a long time I have had something wrong with my kidneys. It runs in our family, for my father had the same complaint. The pain lodged in the small of my back; always became worse if I caught a cold or if I overtaxed myself. Urinary trouble annoyed me, particularly at night, the frequency often compelling me to rise four or five times. I tried doctors' prescriptions and other remedies, but failed to get relief. At last I procured a box of Doan's Kidney Pills at J. E. Mills' drug store. Now when I tell you that the benefit received was so great that I sent a box of Doan's Kidney Pills to my father who has kidney disease, with positive instructions to take them, you can judge in what estimation I hold them. I can recommend Doan's Kidney Pills, and you are at liberty to refer to me."

Doan's Kidney Pills are sold for 50 cents per box, or six boxes for \$2.50. Foster-McBarn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for United States. Sent by mail on receipt of price. For sale by all dealers.

Remember the name Doan's, and take no substitute.

No man or woman can enjoy life or accomplish much in this world while suffering from a torpid liver. DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the pills that cleanse that organ. W. D. Olney.

Running sores, indolent ulcers and similar troubles, even though of many years standing, may be cured by using DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It soothes, strengthens and heals. It is the great pile cure. W. D. Olney.

## NEW MEDICAL DISCOVERY.

**A Positive Cure for Dyspepsia.**

This may read as though we were putting it a little strong because it is generally thought by the majority of people that Dyspepsia in its chronic form is incurable, or practically so. But we have long since shown that Dyspepsia is curable, nor is it such a difficult matter as at first appears.

The trouble with Dyspepsia is that they are continually dieting, starving themselves or going to opposite extremes or else deluging the already overburdened stomach with "Bitters" "after dinner pills" etc., which invariably increase the difficulty even if in some cases they do give a slight temporary relief. Such treatment of the stomach simply makes matters worse. What the stomach wants is rest. Now how can the stomach become rested, recuperated, and at the same time the body nourished and sustained.

"This is the great secret and this is also the secret of the uniform success of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. This is a comparatively new remedy, but its success and popularity leave no doubt as to its merits.

The Tablets will digest the food anyway, regardless of condition of stomach.

The sufferer from Dyspepsia, according to directions, is to eat an abundance of good, wholesome food and use the tablets before and after each meal and the result will be that the food will be digested no matter how bad your dyspepsia may be, because as before stated the tablets will digest the food even if the stomach is wholly inactive. To illustrate our meaning plainly, if you take 1,800 grains of meat, eggs or ordinary food and place it in a temperature of 98 degrees, and put with it one of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets it will digest the meat or eggs almost as perfectly as if the meat was enclosed within the stomach.

The stomach may be ever so weak yet these tablets will perform the work of digestion and the body and brain will be properly nourished and at the same time a radical lasting cure of dyspepsia will be made because the much abused stomach will be given to some extent a much needed rest. Your druggist will tell you that of the many remedies advertised to cure dyspepsia none of them has given so complete and general satisfaction as Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets and not least in importance in these hard times is the fact that they are also the cheapest and give the most good for the least money.

A little book on cause and cure of stomach trouble sent free by addressing Stuart Co., Marshall, Mich.

**One Minute Cough Cure, cures.**

This is what it was made for.

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**ONE PRICE SHOE STORE.****Our Harvard Shoe!**

FOR MEN, is this season's best seller. The up-to-date man approved its style and quality, and marveled at its LOW COST! These facts explain the great demand.

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Men's Box Calf Double Sole Harvard Lace Shoes

**\$3.00.**

Men's Winter Russet (Newest Shades) Harvard Lace Shoes

**\$3.00.**

Men's Enamel Leather Double Sole Harvard Lace Shoes

**\$3.00.**

Men's Patent Leather Harvard Lace Shoes, single soles,

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These shoes cannot be duplicated for less than \$5

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Up-to-date Shoes of all kinds—\$1.50, \$2, \$2.50, \$3, \$3.50, \$4, \$4.50 and \$5.

Follow the footprints to

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No. 43 North Street

**Mapes' Ration Did It.**

SEE OUR EXHIBIT AT THE FAIR THIS WEEK.

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She began to lay at a little over three months old, and now at five months has chickens of her own. She has been fed exclusively on Mapes' Balanced Ration for Poultry, manufactured by

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IN Pursuance of an order of the Surrogate of the county of Orange, notice is hereby given according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Elizabeth Jane Wickham, late of the town of Minerva, in said county, deceased, that they are required to present the same, with the proper vouchers therefor, to the subscriber, the administrator of said deceased, at his late place of residence in the town of Minerva on or before the 1st day of December next.

Dated May 25th, 1917.  
CLARENCE G. CLARK an NIVEN H. CLARK, administrators.  
W. F. O'NEILL, atorney for administrators, Middletown, N. Y. dTa, Nov 23

IN Pursuance of an order of the Surrogate of the county of Orange, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Elizabeth Jane Wickham, late of the city of Middletown, in said county, deceased, that they are required to present the same, with the proper vouchers therefor, to the subscriber, the executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, at the First National Bank, in the city of Middletown, on or before the 1st day of February, 1918.

S. W. ROBERTSON, Executor  
J. F. BRADNER, attorney for executor.  
dMiddletown Feb 1

IN Pursuance of an order of the Surrogate of the county of Orange, N. Y., notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the estate of Daniel Thompson, deceased, late of the town of Crawford, in said county, that they are required to present such claims or statements thereof, with proper vouchers or verification thereof, to the subscriber, the administrator of the goods, chattels and credits of said deceased, at her residence, in said town of Crawford, on or before the 27th day of December, 1917.

Dated June 23rd, 1917.  
ANNA THOMPSON, Administratrix.  
dWedon Dec 22

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**Steel & Pennyroyal Pills**  
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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 22.—Fair, becoming partly cloudy, Thursday.

THE TEMPERATURE.  
The following was the reading of the thermometer at Noon's drug store, today:  
a. m., 46°; 12 m., 62°; 3 p. m., 67°.

AMUSEMENT AND RECREATION.

Sept. 21.—The "Two Little Yagants," at Casino.  
Sept. 22.—The "Wants of New York," at Casino.  
Sept. 23.—Annual Festival and dance of Mequon League, at Assembly Rooms.  
Sept. 24.—Japanese Kite Run, at First Baptist Church.  
Oct. 1 and 2.—Orange County Horse Show, at Golden.  
Oct. 17.—Ichternite Club Conference, at St. Paul's M. E. Church.  
Oct. 20.—I. O. O. F. fair, at Assembly Room.

WEDNESDAY Sept. 22, 1897.

TOWN OF MINNIE.

The Democratic election of MINNIE was requested to meet at the hotel in Westtown, Saturday, Sept. 20th, at 2 o'clock p. m. to select delegates to represent them in the Assembly. The election was held in the hotel in Westtown, Tuesday, Sept. 22nd, and also delegates to the County Convention, to be held at Middletown, Wednesday, Sept. 23rd, were elected.

ALBERT GRAHAM.

JOHN H. BORDLAND.

JOHN L. VANSICKLE.

ASSEMBLY CONVENTION.

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JUDICIARY CONVENTION.

Whereas, at the Judiciary Convention of the Second District, held at the hotel in Westtown, Saturday, Sept. 20th, at 2 o'clock p. m. to select delegates to represent them in the Assembly. The election was held in the hotel in Westtown, Tuesday, Sept. 22nd, and also delegates to the County Convention, to be held at Middletown, Wednesday, Sept. 23rd, were elected.

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It is announced that a young German doctor has discovered the germ of rheumatism and a method of battling with it which is very successful.

Chairman Bryant, of the gold Democrats National Committee, hasn't lived in New York many months, but he seems to have acquired a very accurate conception of the political situation there for he said yesterday that the anti-Tammany Democrats were splitting up into factions, and "the chief idea of each seemed to be to get large enough to sell out."

Vice President Hobart called on Senator Platt yesterday, and assured him that he approved of his course in insisting on a straight ticket in Greater New York and in resisting the attempted dictation of the Citizens' Union. Mr. Hobart also promised his assistance in putting through certain appointments which the machine desires, and thus counts for a good deal more with Mr. Platt than approval of his course in Greater New York politics.

The evidence at the examination of Sheriff Mar in and his deputies for shooting down the striking miners at Hazelton shows that the Sheriff and the riot act, which not one of the Huns or Italians in the crowd of miners understood, and as they still pressed forward the deputies fired. It is not likely that the law will ever reach the sheriff or his posse, for although it is morally certain that the killing could have been avoided they will be able to plead that they be-

heved their lives were in danger, and it will be difficult to prove that the miners though menacing in their actions did not really intend violence. The fact remains however, that the twenty-four lives lost at Hazelton were the most wanton and unnecessary sacrifice ever made in the struggles of capital and labor.

Gold and silver lines were not drawn in the Tammany primaries, last night, and all who call themselves Democrats and are willing to work and vote for Democratic success were welcomed. Among the delegates chosen were a number of well known men, who did not support Bryan last fall. Tammany's leaders realize that a united Democratic party is necessary to Democratic success and in a purely local contest, made on local issues, it is certainly the part of wisdom not to adopt a policy of proscription on account of past differences.

Attorney General Hancock, replying to an inquiry from Justice of the Peace Frank Martin, of East Cokenham, in regard to the application to Justices of the Peace of the new law regarding town elections in Orange, Sullivan and Rockland counties, says that the office of justice is a constitutional office, the term of which cannot be abridged by statute, and that if the provisions of the law in regard to the elections of justices were literally followed each town would have five justices instead of four, as provided by statute. The Attorney General, therefore, holds that election of justices whose terms of office expire December 31st, 1898, are not to be held this fall but in 1898.

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH

SEVENTY LIVES LOST.

An Excursion Steamer Sunk With Great Loss of Life.

LONDON, Sept. 22.—A special Vienna dispatch says seventy persons were drowned as a result of the collision, yesterday, between the local passenger steamer Ika and the British steamer Tria. The accident occurred at Fiume in full view of thousands. The Ika sank in a few minutes.

ORDERED ARREY KILLED.

The Ex-Inspector General of Police Admits Responsibility for the Prisoner's Death.

ALBANY KIDNAPPERS SENTENCED.

ALBANY, Sept. 22.—Henry Blake and Joseph Hardy, Warner's colleagues in the Conway kidnapping case, pleaded guilty, this noon.

A TORPEDO BOAT CAPSIZED.

Eight of Her Crew, Including the Duke of Mecklenburg, Drowned.

YELLOW FEVER IN NEW YORK.

New York, Sept. 23.—The Columbian liner Finance arrived this morning from Colon and reported two cases of yellow fever in a mild form. Both patients were removed to Swanbarre Island Hospital.

EIGHT NEW CASES OF YELLOW FEVER.

NEW YORK, Sept. 22.—Eight new cases of yellow fever are reported, today, and one death, Anna Henry. Other cases are doing well.

Inspecting the County Farm.

Supervisor Tuthill, of Unionville, and Supervisor Isaman, of this city, went to Orange Farm, today, to give it an inspection.

RED ROUGH HANDS

Itching, early, bleeding, pimple, shapeless nails, and painful finger ends, pimples, blackheads, oily, moist skin, thin, and falling hair, itching, scaly scalp, all yield quickly to warm lotions with CUTICURA SOAP, and gentle anointing with CUTICURA Ointment, the great skin cure.

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"There are fads in medicine as well as in other things," said a busy druggist, "but the most remarkable thing about Hood's Sarsaparilla is that customers who try other remedies all come back to Hood's, and this is why the enormous sales of this medicine keep up while others

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and in a short time go out of sight entirely, to be heard from no more."

"Why is it?" "O, simply because Hood's Sarsaparilla has more real curative merit than any medicine I ever sold."

This is of daily occurrence in almost every drug store. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the standard remedy which has cured more sickness, relieved more distress and made more happiness by bringing people

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The standard—the One True Blood Purifier.

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are the only pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

OBITUARY.

John Norton.

John Norton, of Liberty, died Saturday, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Lizzie Turk, in Fremont Centre, aged sixty-four years. He went to his daughter's three weeks ago for a visit and was prostrated by illness from which he never recovered.

Mr. Norton served in Co. F, 143d Regt. ment, N. Y. V., and at the time of his death was commander of Garretts Post, Liberty. The funeral was held at Liberty, Tuesday.

Would Not Do Without Dr. Hand's Colic Cure.

MEMPHIS, N. Y., Nov. 11, '95.—The Hand Medicine Co.—"Our baby, now nearly four months old, has been troubled ever since birth by Wind Colic. At first we tried the usual remedies, but until we tried Dr. Hand's Colic Cure found nothing that would give relief. Now we would not think of being without your Colic Cure and Dr. Hand's Remedies for Children, 25 cents. At all druggists."

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For bilious and nervous disorders, such as Wind and Pain in the Stomach, Sick Headache, Giddiness, Fullness and Swelling after meals, Dizziness and Drowsiness, Cold Chills, Flushings of Heat, Loss of Appetite, Shortness of Breath, Costiveness, Blisters on the Skin, Disturbed Sleep, Frightful Dreams, and all Nervous and Trembling Sensations, etc., when these symptoms are caused by constipation, as most of them are, THE FIRST DOSE WILL GIVE RELIEF IN TWENTY MINUTES. This is no fiction. Every sufferer is earnestly invited to try one Box of these Pills and they will be acknowledged to be

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We Have for Early Buyers New Felt Hats, New Bicycle Hats, and All Kinds of New Walking Hats. New Styles of Fall Ribbons and New Fancy Wings.

JUST RECEIVED A NEW LINE OF FALL JACKETS AND CAPES FOR IMMEDIATE USE.

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## L. STERN 13-15 NORTH ST.

## This Kid Glove We Sell at \$1.25.



We consider it equal to any glove sold at \$1.75. We warrant them. We show the greatest stock of DRESS GOODS to be found in this section. See the special values at 25c per yard—all wool.

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THE LARGEST AND MOST ELEGANT LINE OF NECKWEAR!

Just received. Look in our window. Another invoice of those Electric and Soft Band Hats in brown and black. They are great sellers. Underwear, Underwear. Ready-made Clothing—We are receiving new goods every day, and we can please you in quality, fit and prices. Men's, youths', boys' and children's clothing.

## Merchant Tailoring Department!

Is booming with orders. Why, because we carry the stock and turn out nothing but first-class work. The largest stock of foreign and domestic cloths in the city. Trunks, Satchels, Dress Suit and Telescope Cases.

## JOHN E. ADAMS,

Leading Hatter and Clothier, No. 41 North Street.

Buyers of Good Judgment

will not buy the poorest qualities of goods. They are not cheap at any price. We aim at goods of real merit, and we keep the prices as low as goods profitable to the buyer can be sold. Come and examine the few samples of our exhibit.

One Case Ribbed Underwear, Ladies, the 50c Kind, 25c Each.

1 case Ribbed Underwear, men's, the best, 50c.

1 case Underwear, double fleece, men's, 48c, extra good value.

1 case all wool Homespun, for school-dresses, a bargain at 25c.

1 case Merimack Prints, latest patterns.

10 bales Batts, the best, 10c a batt.

The above a sample only of our great stock.

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A full line of supplies for all typewriters.

Lot of Packing Boxes for sale cheap.

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Our Fall and Winter Woolens

are here and our order book

already shows a very satisfactory

number of fall orders. We are

ready for more, however, and are

ready to take your measure at

any time.

We Have a Fine Assortment of

Suits, Trousers, Etc.,

and, as you know, we guarantee

our work in every respect—style,

fit, workmanship and quality of

trimmings. Get in your order

before the rush and while the

selection is good.

GEO. W. YOUNG,

Custom Ready-Made Clothier,

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My last year's magazines

that I had bound at

McINTYRE'S BINDERY,

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look fine and the price was

all right.

Elegance and Style

in Our Suits to Order.

\$12, \$15, \$18. Come in and

select your cloth, not from a

small sample, but from the piece.

We will make the same for

you all hand finished and well

trimmed.

Should they not please you do

not take them.

Pants from same goods \$3.25,

\$3.75, \$4.75.

This is no ordinary ready-

made work, but the same as you

have been paying \$20 to \$25.

Morris B. Wolf,

10 North Street.

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## THE "RIVAL!"

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## DAILY ARGUS.

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 22, 1897.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

Underwear, for fall and winter, at Samuel Lippold's.  
 Fall styles of carpets at Geo. B. Adams & Co.  
 G. F. Harding has opened a sales office.  
 Potatoes a bushel at W. H. Post's.  
 Dance at Columbia Park, Thursday night.  
 Four rooms on Sprague avenue to let.  
 The "Rival" sewing machine \$17.50 at C. E. Crawford.

## LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

Remember that the third page of this paper contains good local news.

Last Mary Powell excursion of the season, tomorrow.

"The Two Little Vagrants" at the Casino, Friday night.

Don't forget "The Two Little Vagrants" at the Casino, Friday evening.

The addition to the Union Hat works has been noted and two floors have been laid.

The tenth annual reunion of the 143d Regiment, N. Y. V., will be held at Hurleyville, Oct. 12th.

"The Two Little Vagrants" will be produced by a good company at the Casino, Friday evening.

Prof. Roscher's new orchestra will be at Columbia Park, Thursday evening. Ladies are invited free.

"The Walls of New York" is the name of the attraction to be produced at the Casino, Monday evening.

There were in 1896 in New York city 220 convictions for selling adulterated milk as against 408 in 1895.

Chenango County's Agricultural Society has voted to issue \$3,500 in bonds to provide for its financial needs.

It is said that a number of local stock operators are out and injured as a result of September's slump in Wall street.

After Oct. 1st, W. J. Greening's market will not open on Sundays for the sale of meats or the delivery of orders.

The "Little Vagrants," which has made a hit in New York city, will be the attraction at the Casino, Friday evening.

The Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, a very worthy organization, runs the Mary Powell excursion, tomorrow, for the benefit of its sick fund.

A Port Jervis hunter, who doesn't allow such a little thing as the game law to bother him, boasts that he has killed seventy-four grey squirrels in four days.

Those who attend the Japanese kettle drum will receive as a souvenir a Japanese tea cup and saucer. Tickets on sale at both of Tutthill's stores and Preston's jewelry store.

Ten men were arraigned before Norwich's recorder, Monday morning, charged with intoxication. They were all hop pickers, who, the season being over, had money to burn and accordingly invested it in fire water.

## PERSONAL.

Richard Knight of Stockport, is visiting in town.

Ex-Assemblyman Carter, of Suffern, was in town for a few minutes, today.

Mrs. W. W. Mathias and family went to Panamint, today, for a week's visit.

N. Schellenberg, of this city, went to Boston, today, to attend a christening party.

Mr. and Mrs. George Butler, of Port Jervis, are on a two weeks' visit to relatives and friends in this city.

Ernest Leach and Carl C. Ordway, of the American Printing Co., Rochester, are the guests of Theodore Frank.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Tree are visiting friends and relatives in Middletown and New York.—*Liberty Gazette.*

Ed Palmer, of Rockland, went to Birmingham, Tuesday night, to attend a meeting of wood and coal manufacturers.

Mrs. W. C. McNish, Mrs. H. D. W. Schoonmaker and Miss Everson, went to New York, today, for a few days' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bartle and daughter, of Middletown, are visiting at M. L. Morgan's, Mitchell street.—*Norwich Star.*

Gabriel Tutthill has returned from a visit to Washington. He spent Sunday at Midland Beach with Capt. W. B. Rockwell.

Under Sheriff Henry M. Howell was in town, today, possibly with a view to looking after his interests at the Republican primaries, to-night.

Fred Monte, the Middletown optician, formerly of Newburgh, and Miss Margaret M. Frost will be married early in October.—*Newburgh Journal.*

## State Railroad Inspector in Town.

A special train containing a State Railroad inspector arrived in this city on the Erie, today. He looked over the stations and went over the Pine Bush branch before continuing his journey west. Two ladies accompanied the inspector.

## Port Jervis Newspaper Men on an Outing.

F. R. Salmon, of the Port Jervis Union, and Messrs. Shimer and Bennett, of the Gazette, went to Poughkeepsie, today, to take in the fur. Three more capable representatives of Orange county newspapers would be hard to find.

## Will Resume Charge of the Meat Market.

John T. Robertson will resume charge of the East Main street meat market, December 1. Mr. Robertson has a large number of friends who will wish him success.

No need to fear the approach of a group if you have Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil in the house. Never was a case that it wouldn't cure if used at the outset.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers.

DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers.

## BOLD BURGLARS AT MONTGOMERY

The safe in the Post Office Blown Open and \$150 in Cash and \$250 in Stamps Stolen—Burglars Left Town on a Hand Car.

The post office in Montgomery was entered by burglars, last night, who blew open the safe and robbed it of \$150 in cash and \$250 in stamps.

Entrance was effected through D. B. Johnson's dry goods store, which is in the same building as the post office. The back door of Mr. Johnson's store was pried open and the thieves descended to the cellar and from it reached the post office.

It was about 3 o'clock, this morning, when the safe was blown open. The noise of the explosion aroused all the residents of the vicinity, but the burglars had nerve enough to hold firing the shattered safe before they left the building. Two of them were seen by several persons who had been awakened by the explosion and Mr. Johnson, who had left his house to investigate the cause of the noise, met them on the street and asked them what the trouble was. They answered "nothing" and hurried on.

There are reasons for believing that a third man who remained outside the building to keep watch hurried away when he saw that the villagers had been aroused.

At the railroad station the thieves broke into the tool house and stole a hand car, with which they started toward Goshen. They abandoned the car at Brewster's crossing, about a mile from Goshen.

Nothing was seen of the men in Goshen where an effort was made to intercept them, nor is there any clue likely to lead to their arrest.

What Frightened C. C. Bogart.

When C. C. Bogart, the well known traveling salesman, entered Phil. Kinney's Log Cabin at Monticello, recently, he was half-frightened out of his wits on seeing a big rattlesnake lying on the floor. The roars of laughter reassured him, however, and a snake enthusiast picked the reptile up and placed it in a cage. The snake has 17 rattles, and is one of two on exhibition there, which were captured near the Sullivan County Club house.

Baptized at the Age of Ninety by a Very Venerable Clergyman.

At Cascade Valley, near Deposit, Sunday, Mrs. Philine Schenon, who is in her nineteenth year, was baptized in the Delaware by Rev. A. P. Merrill, of Deposit, who is eighty-two years old. There were some misgivings about allowing the old couple to go into the water alone, but they would have it no other way and waded out to where the water was waist deep, where the immersion took place.

Too Many Horses at Orange Farm.

The Independent Republican calls attention to the fact that the Superintendents of the Poor now keep twelve horses at Orange Farm, while in the old days, when Democratic Superintendents enforced strict economy in all departments, four horses sufficed for all the needs of the farm. How many Orange county farmers could keep out of the poor house if they kept twelve horses for work or pleasure?

Going to Klondike.

Henry Carrigan, son of Thomas Carrigan, a Port Jervis hotel keeper, who has been working in a Colorado gold mine for two years, writes home that he has started for Klondike in company with an old forty-niner. They have a complete outfit and will reach Alaska in time to start for the Klondike gold fields as soon as spring opens.

Hunters Find Game Scarce Hereabouts.

Those hunters who usually go out for birds at this season of the year have not made many trips this season. The quail, quail and quail are very scarce and long walks and results have attended their keeping the game home. In three weeks more the law goes off grey squirrels, and there is a plenty of other edible food.

Warwick Gun Club's Tournament.

The Warwick Gun Club has arranged to hold a tournament, Oct. 4 and 5. Twenty contests are on the programme, which are open to all comers. Further particulars may be obtained by addressing the secretary of the club, J. M. Servin, Warwick.

Death of a Child.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Dunham, of 119 North street, are mourning the death of their infant daughter, Teen Lee, who died this morning after an illness of five weeks, from cholera infantum.

To-day's Erie Excursion to New York City.

The Erie excursion to New York city, today, carried two trains of people, including 300 from this city and 117 from the Pine Bush branch.

Big Catch of Eels.

Alva Van Elen, of Port Jervis, caught, Monday night, about 1,000 eels in his rack in the Delaware, above Germantown. They averaged five pounds in weight and many exceeded six pounds.

Ex-Mayors Have Been Invited.

Chief Higham has invited the ex-mayors of this city to participate in the inspection of the fire department September 30.

## THE REPUBLICAN RUCTION.

Preparing for the Big Fight at the Primaries, To-night—What Is Going on in the Different Wards.

The fight in the Fourth Ward has settled down to Memory and anti-Memory. The self-respecting Republicans in the ward decline to vote for machine delegates if Memory is to be re-nominated and the machine is determined that he shall be re-nominated. A complete canvass of the ward was made, today, and the largest primary on record is booked for to-night.

In the Second Ward the machine feels more confident of success since it has been definitely learned that ex-President Dorrance is "wid de gang." The ex-President does not like the machine any too well, but he has been pressed into line just as he was when the infamous single election matter was taken up.

Supervisor Wood and Alderman Ayres have been putting in "great ticks" in the Fourth, to-day. They have seen every man who could be found, and urged his presence at the primary to night to vote for the machine.

John T. Robertson has come into the machine fold again. "Yank's" candidacy for the post office has a natural tendency to line up his friends and he has made a good move in bringing John's efforts to his aid.

Maj. Sprout, the First Ward war horse, has got the machine guessing. He hates Assemblyman Bedd, and he hates those who support him. He allows the "gang" to jolly him, but he and Ed. Russell and J. Frank Tutthill, will be heard of when Mayor Berry's forces are counted.

Philip Roosa, the machine's huster in the Second Ward, has been earning his first month's salary as clerk to the First Commissioner. He has been butting the old iron in the ward, today, carrying instructions from the bosses.

"Charley" Mace may not get the post office, but he's making lots of disturbance in the rock-rimmed Second Ward. He proposes that his friends shall be present in large numbers, to-night. Alderman Memory intends to turn him down in some way in the Council in the near future, but the clerk president is on the watch that the fourth's bumptious representative gains no points.

In some of the wards the programme is to have some of the worn out war horses make humorous speeches to introduce the grand scrap. T. N. Little won't be noticed in the Second, and Dan Sexton wouldn't be listened to in the First.

The First Ward machine hopes to capture a great deal of the condenser employees' strength by putting C. A. Whitney up for Member of the Board of Education.

The machine's tickets are out, and those who have seen them state the names on them include many of the kickers. Set soap won't go.

"Boss" Dayton has been running around today as busy as a cat chasing mice. He wears a worried look at times, and again is as happy as a District Attorney Powelson, who loves all the boys. The Dayton boys are not hustling very hard in the Third Ward, and little opposition to the machine is anticipated there.

John Cox, one of the men who has not been rightly treated by the machine, has moved from the Fourth Ward to the Second, where his vote and his influence will be used against those who befriended and then dumped him.

The machine leaders are determined to win by fair means or foul. Their workers have approached many Democrats, today, and asked them to attend the Republican primaries, and in more than one instance the person approached has been assured that it would be made worth his while to give the machine a hit over a very tight place.

The Second Ward bosses made a mistake when they allowed "Charley" Mace and other bosses from foreign wards to run down "Dick" Slater. He has always been a thoroughly consistent Republican and he naturally feels offended at being let out of the secret meeting of the big bosses and as a result he has joined hands with the Machine forces and will be found at the primary, to-night, a very lively corpse. And though the machine did not want him before they are now coaxing for his return to the field.

The Press wants it distinctly understood that it isn't taking sides in the election fight that is now on. Nothing could be more than the immovable mud, first night, that it was willing to print it for all comers, in rhyme or in prose.

It is probable that many Democrats will be on hand to-night, to see the winning Republican factions show how they love each other.

BACKACHE AND RHEUMATISM RELIEVED BY DR. JAMES' NERVE FLASHER.

Royal makes the food pure, wholesome and delicious.



## AT THE COUNTY SEAT.

INCIDENTS AND HAPPENINGS IN GOSHEN.

Killed to End Its Misery—Harvest Home Supper—Visiting Odd Fellows—Pay Your School Tax—Epworth League Entertainment—Other Notes.

From Our Regular Correspondent.

A prize hound belonging to A. E. Potter was struck and badly injured by train 11 yesterday afternoon. Mr. Potter shot the animal to relieve its misery.

James Scott, Sr., has secured a position as manager of the Midway bowling alleys.

The harvest home supper at the parlors of the M. E. Church, tomorrow night, will be the event of the week.

Supper will be served from 6 o'clock for thirty cents. No admission will be charged. A programme of instrumental music will probably be given.

A number of Middletown Odd Fellows paid a fraternal visit to Orange Lodge, last night.

G. W. Colman is receiving school taxes at his office. The total amount to be collected this year is \$8,442. The rate is \$6.06 per \$1,000.

On the evening of Oct. 18th, the Epworth League will give a tripartite entertainment at Music Hall.

The Goshen Light and Power Co. contemplates extensive improvements at its plant, which will very considerably increase its capacity.

The Dikeman Hose Co.'s dance committee for the firemen's day, hop is composed of the following gentlemen: Messrs. Frank E. Larkin, Henry Miller, Jr., Thomas Logan, Matthew Doyle and John R. Crosby.

West Point's Superb Military Training.

From the New York Herald.

West Point cadets of the present day should be able to win victories without firing a shot. Under the closest guard they have spiked nearly every cannon on the reservation, and now they have proven their complete mastery of tactics by stealing the revolve gun.

Base Ball Notes.

Louis Bauer takes more interest in the base ball than any other man in central Orange county. He has the league games and plays "down pat."

The effort to arrange a game between the Asynues and Union Giants has not yet resulted in a date. A large number of tickets have been subscribed, and a paying crowd is assured.

It is rumored that the deciding game of ball between Goshen and Port Jervis may be played at Newburgh. The net that no admission can be charged at the State Hospital grounds is the cause of the proposed change.

The Jewish New Year.

The Jewish new year 5558 begins next Sunday evening. This holiday is universally observed by the Jewish people. The orthodox Hebrews celebrate it for two days, the less orthodox observe but one day, Monday, when all their places of business will be closed.

Cataract for Twenty Years and Cured in a Few Days.

Nothing too simple, nothing too hard for Dr. Agnew's Cataract Powder to give relief in an instant. Hon. George James, of Stratton Pa., says: "I have been a martyr to cataract for twenty years, constant coughing, drooping in the throat and pain in the head, very offensive breath. I tried Dr. Agnew's Cataract Powder. The first application gave instant relief. After using a few bottles all these symptoms of cataract left me. It is a great remedy." Sold by James T. King and McMonagle & Rogers.

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Do Not Buy Your Carpets

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We want you to see our new Ingrain Carpets, even if you do not want to buy at present.

50c a yard is our price for Novelty Dress Goods. Just as effective as the 75c grade.

45c is our price for Novelty Dress Goods, worth 50c a yard.

New Changeable Taffeta Silks at the old price. No advance asked.

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It's strange that so small a thing should make so much real misery. Strange that you put up with it when it is so easy to get rid of.

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New fall lines in many popular weaves on our counters. We are selling Dress Goods lower than they can be purchased. All wool Plaids and Checks 25c. For school wear and service they cannot be equaled. Plain Goods from 35 cents up. Novelties from 39 cents to \$1.25 a yard.

## New Dress Trimmings!

Popular Braids, Elegant Jets. Braid Sets, in silk and jet, from 75c up. See our BLACK SERGE at 50c. See our all wool 54 inch goods at 50c. See our new "Mocha" Kid Gloves at \$1.19. See our new FLUTED CHIFFON in light blue, pink, cream, white and black. New Capes, new Coats, new Fur Capes and Collarettes. The best Linen Handkerchiefs, hem stitched and embroidered, for 12½ cents.

WELLER & DEMEREST.

## READY FOR BUSINESS

With a new and complete stock of

Furniture, Carpets and Crockery.

The Cheapest Place in the City.

FRANCE &

BATHAWAY,

General House Furnishers.

25 AND 27 EAST MAIN STREET











## HYMENEAL.

## Schellwald-Schellenberg.

One of the prettiest family weddings, which has ever occurred in this city, was that held in the Assembly Rooms, Tuesday night, when at 6:45, Miss Mamie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. Schellwald, of Boston. Only the immediate members of the family were present, with a few relatives from New York city and Brooklyn.

The hall was very prettily decorated by Lorentz, and perched upon palms which formed a canopy in front of the pulpit were two doves. Potted plants were artistically arranged about the platform and pulpit.

At precisely 7 o'clock, Rabbi Taubenhaus, of the congregation Beth Elohim, entered the bower of plants, and Roscher's orchestra, with Samuel Schellenberg, brother of the bride as violinist, played the familiar Mendelssohn wedding march as the wedding party entered from the parlors. First came the ushers, B. Schellenberg and M. Katzinger. Following them were four sisters of the bride as bridesmaids. They were the Misses Eva, Flora, Jennie and Bessie Schellenberg, all of this city. The groom followed, leaning on the arm of his brother, William Schellwald, of Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Schellwald, with their daughter between them, completed the procession. Rabbi Taubenhaus performed the ceremony in a particularly solemn and impressive manner. During the first part of the ceremony Samuel Schellwald, accompanied by Miss Anna Gunner, rendered the cavaeria Rusticana. When the wine has been tasted, and the final words pronounced, the groom saluted his bride, and the entire party resolved itself into a congratulating, saluting party.

B. Schellenberg, of Boston, brother of the bride, who was master of ceremonies, announced the banquet and having marched about the hall twice, all were seated at the artistically prepared tables. The bride and groom sat at the center of the table, under a floral bell. The Rabbi on their right and the bride's parents on the left. The Rabbi then at the "Berches," a sweetened bread, blessed it, and passed a slice to each guest. Caterer Rowley and a corps of assistants served the meal gracefully and pleasingly. The menu was as follows:

Blue Points, Hot Shell, Consomme, a la Victoria, Chicken Croquette a la Reine, Lobster Salad, Mayonnaise, Sautéed Tenderloin, Queen Olive, French Peas, Cold Tongue, Currant Jelly, Potatoes Hollandaise, Spiced Veal, Celery, Ginkgo, Roasted Chicken, Water Crackers, Oranges, Peaches, Peas, Grapes, Frozen Fruit, Appollonia Water, Fancy Cakes, Bonbons, French Office.

Several toasts to the bride and groom were drunk standing and then Benjamin F. Kohler, of North Carolina, who was toastmaster, called upon Rabbi Taubenhaus, Dr. B. Pillsbury, William Schellwald, Bernard Schellenberg, Max Kurtz and N. Schellwald. Master Schellwald gave a violin solo, and the health of the "absent ones" was drunk, and then dancing was commenced and kept up until a late hour.

The costumes worn by the ladies were particularly attractive. The bride wore a white broadened satin gown, with duchess lace and orange blossoms. Her veil was caught up with a diamond crescent.

The bridesmaids costumes were of organdie, with elaborate lace trimmings. Miss Bessie wore white over blue silk; Miss Jennie, white over pink; Miss Flora, white over yellow; and Miss Eva, white.

Mrs. N. Schellwald wore black silk gown, with duchess lace and diamonds. Mrs. S. Schellwald, who was accompanied by her daughter, Pearl, wore blue gown over blue silk, with point lace trimmings. Mrs. M. Katzinger, black satin with white and blue trimmings. Mrs. Theodore Shaw, of Boston, white broadened satin and duchess lace. Mrs. Hannah Schellwald, white broadened lace and pearl trimmings. Miss Tessie Schellwald, Newburgh, a particularly handsome Worth costume. Miss Jennie Schellwald, Newburgh, white cape and skirt. Miss Sarah, of Brooklyn, a favorite in the party, wore pink moiree lace and some over gold and pink, with ribbons and point lace. Miss Charles Wolf, black silk with white lace. Miss Anna Stern, of Newburgh, black and white organdie. Mrs. B. S. Schellwald, of Brooklyn, black gown over black and white silk, with duchess lace trimmings. Miss Mamie Stern, of Newburgh, light blue broadened silk with pearl trimmings. Mrs. E. Schellwald, of Boston, black and white broadened silk, pearl trimmings and point lace. Mrs. Leona Stern, black silk with lace trimmings. Mrs. E. Stern, of Newburgh, broadened silk.

Mr. and Mrs. Schellwald left this morning for Niagara Falls. After their honeymoon trip they will go to Boston, where the groom is a popular and prosperous clothing merchant.

## Taken to Sing Sing Prison.

Lewis Whitmore, Charles Lewis and David Cunningham, who were sentenced to terms of imprisonment at Judge Beattie's court in Newburgh, last week, were taken to Sing Sing, Tuesday morning, by Under Sheriff Howell.

## Where Fishing Is Good.

Miller's report is receiving the annual draining to clear the clearing out of weeds and bogs before rearing occurs, and in the low water great catches of catfish, pucker and sunfish are being made.

## The Reconstruction of the Postal's Lines.

The reconstruction of the Postal Telegraph Company's lines has reached Phillipsburgh. Ten men are employed and Page's Walkkill River house is their headquarters.

## A Wonderful Statement

From Mrs. McGilias to Mrs. Pinkham.

I think it my duty, dear Mrs. Pinkham, to tell you what your wonderful Compound has done for me.

I was dreadfully ill—the doctors said they could cure me but failed to do so.

I gave up in despair and took to my bed. I had dreadful pains in my heart, fainting spells, sparks before my eyes—sometimes I would get so blind, I could not see for several minutes.

I could not stand very long without feeling sick and vomiting. I could not breathe a long breath without screaming, my heart pained so.

I also had female weakness, inflammation of ovaries, painful menstruation, displacement of the womb, itching of the external parts, and ulceration of the womb. I have had all these complaints.

The pains I had to stand were something dreadful. My husband told me to try a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's medicine, which I did, and after taking it for a while, was cured. No other kind of medicine for me as long as you make Compound. I hope every woman who suffers will take your Compound and be cured.—Mrs. J. S. McGILLIAS, 113 Kilburn avenue, Rockford, Ill.

## CHUTE FOR MIDWAY PARK.

May Be a Number of Changes of Privilege Owners Next Year.

It is rumored among the holders of privileges at Midway Park that the Traction Company is very desirous of securing all the privileges and that overtures are already being made in that direction. It is stated that the object of the company in hoping to do this is that it desires to be able to rent the park outright any day in the week to those organizations which would secure the grounds for a day and operate all the features.

A "shoot the chute" is to be built from Hopper hill down into the Walkkill river, which, it is believed, will prove very popular next year.

## MANY AT THE DANCE.

Electric Social Club's Evening Was a Success.

The Electric Social Club drew a much larger attendance in the evening than had characterized the afternoon events at Midway Park. The dance platform was enclosed and it was crowded until a late hour.

The club anticipates a day's outing next year, which will eclipse anything before attempted.

## Johnson Condensery Prices.

The New York Condensed Milk Company will pay for milk delivered at Johnson, N. Y., during the six months commencing Oct. 1, as follows:

October and March, \$1.20 per qt.  
November and December, 1.30 " "  
January and February, 1.35 " "

An average of 2.76 per quart.

## Selling Lots from His Judge Barnard.

F. R. Bain, the Poughkeepsie assessor who snuffed up Judge Barnard's offer to sell a tract of land for \$7 per linear foot, made when the judge desired the assessment on the same reduced, has sold four lots from the tract at \$20 per foot.

## Meeting of the County Committee, Tomorrow.

The meeting of the Democratic County Committee will be held in this city, tomorrow, and not to-day, as incorrectly stated. Several of the committeemen were here to-day.

## Fingers Crushed.

Pascio Amadio, an O and W. tra k hand, residing on Cottage street, had his fingers crushed, Tuesday. Dr. Hallett attended him.

## SLATE HILL.

New England Supper.

The Epworth League, of Slate Hill, will hold a New England supper at Mrs. Hannah Hull's, Wednesday evening, Sept. 22, 1897, for the benefit of the M. E. chapel. It is stormy the next fair evening. All are cordially invited to attend.

## Eternal Vigilance.

Is the price of perfect health. Watch carefully the first symptoms of impure blood. Cure boils, pimples, humors and scrofula by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla. Drive away the pains and aches of rheumatism, malaria and stomach troubles. Steady your nerves and overcome that tired feeling by taking the same great medicine.

Hood's Pills are the best family cathartic and liver tonic. Gentle, reliable, sure.

Cascades stimulate liver, kidney and bowels. Never sicken, weaken or gripe.

Pallid faces indicate pale, thin blood. Rosy cheeks show the pure, rich blood resulting from taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

## DON'T DELAY.

Have it done at E. H. GREGORY'S.

## LAST DAY OF TAXES.

Large Amount of Money Paid in During the Past Three Days.

The last opportunity to pay taxes without the additional five per cent. closed at 4 o'clock, to-day. The total amount received, Monday, was \$16,000, and \$14,599 34 on Tuesday. To-day the amount received was about the same.

Clerk Hamilton has been escorted by a policeman to the First National Bank each afternoon, this week, carrying a large roll of bills.

## Did Some Woman Cut Her Throat?

A report was current, to-day, that a woman living at the North End had cut her throat with suicidal intent. No further particulars could be learned of such an occurrence.

## What Do the Children Drink?

Don't give them tea or coffee. Have you tried the new food drink called GRAIN-O? It is delicious and nourishing and takes the place of coffee. The more GRAIN-O you give the children the more health you distribute through their systems. GRAIN-O is made of pure grains, and when properly prepared tastes like the choice grades of coffee but costs about one-fourth as much. All grocers sell it. Fifteen and twenty-five cents.

## Relief in Six Hours.

Distressing Kidney and Bladder disease relieved in six hours by "NEW GREAT SOUTH AMERICAN KIDNEY CURE." It is a great surprise on account of its extraordinary promptness in relieving pain in bladder, kidneys and back, in male or female. Relieves retention of water almost immediately. If you want quick relief and cure this is the remedy.

Sold by J. E. Mills, druggist, Middletown, N. Y.

## NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE REPORT.

JAS. P. TIGHE, Commission Broker, Stern Building, 18 North Street, Middletown, N. Y.

Stocks, Bonds, Grain and Provisions bought and sold for cash or carried on margin.

New York, Sept. 22, '97.

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FOUR Rooms, first floor, 18 Sprague avenue, to let.

THURSDAY Night, Roscher's splendid music, Columbia Park. Tickets at Front's, 15

I WILL have my Cider Mill at New Hampton open for the fall business Monday, Sept. 27th, 5 o'clock and 10

SALES OFFICE—Being favorably located, I am asked daily "who wants to buy" or "who has for sale" all kinds of goods. I have quite a lot of stock you want known and enclose stamp for reply.

G. F. HARDING, Waterbury.

CHILDREN'S Caps—A lovely assortment of children's caps just received.

MRS. BUSH, 144 North street.

HANDSOME New Cottage with barn and garden land, to rent cheap. Enquire of

JOSEPH THOMAS WATTS or ALTON J. VAIL.

D. R. F. N. FRIEND, Dentist, office corner North and King Sts., Middletown. Entrance on King St. Dental work of all kinds. Days and

WANTED—Ladies to remember that you

swore off on having your shoes repaired with nail s. It makes them stiff and heavy. CRAIG

flexible. The cost is no more.

TANSY, Pennyroyal and Cotton Root Pills—Safe, prompt and reliable. Agency at

CHAMBERS' Postoffice Pharmacy, 57 North street, second door from postoffice.

PHILIP HENRY, Practical House Painter, No. 9 Linden Terrace. Painting walls with a

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G. H. WHITE, Mason and Builder, Jobbing promptly attended to, 14 Grove street, Middletown, N. Y. P. O. Box 452. 4701

WANTED—Local and traveling agents. Big

profits. Write ELLWANGER & HARRY, Nurserymen, Rochester, N. Y. 4601

CHAS. J. KIDD, Jr., 70 Academy avenue—2894

desires in Wall Paper Estimates furnished for painting, decorating and hanging. 71

WANTED on bond and mortgage, \$1,000, 5

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standing, willing to learn our business, then to act as Manager and Correspondent here.

Salary \$500. Enclose self-addressed stamped envelope to A. T. ELDER, General Manager, 278

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## IT'S HERE!

The first touch of this frosty weather seems to inject a few Underwear thoughts into our minds. We didn't know but we had made a mistake in figuring upon any cold weather this fall, these hot days hung on like a nine-lived cat. But now we're glad we did fix ourselves in shape to do the Underwear business. We never before had such values to offer.

## We Bought Our Underwear!

way back in May, when prices were at the very lowest, and the manufacturers were glad to take orders at any price just to keep the mills running.

We have some bargains that will be a great surprise to you and will serve to confirm you in your correct opinion that this is the place to go when you want your dollars to get the best and most that they can be exchanged for.

## REMEMBER OUR PIANO CONTEST!

Every cash purchaser of 50 cents worth of goods will receive a coupon. At the expiration of time the person holding the greatest number of coupons will receive the HANDSOME UPRIGHT PIANO which is on exhibition in our window.

Suits Made to Order from \$10 Up. Pants \$2.50 Up.

## SAMUEL LIPFELD,

Clothier and Furnisher, 25 North Street, Middletown, N. Y.

## FALL OVERCOATS!

Why, certainly. What kind would you like? See our assortment. Only too pleased to show you. Here is a line of Overcoats, excellent values, at \$3.50, worth \$5. Here is a line of strictly all wool Overcoats, with our guarantee label, in black and grey, at \$5, sold elsewhere at \$6.50 and \$7.50. Here is a line of

OVERCOATS AT \$6, \$7 and \$8, ALL WITH OUR LABEL

on which we save you \$2 each in accordance with the price other dealers charge. Here are our finest Coats at \$10 and \$12. Coats finely tailored, finely trimmed, worth \$13 and \$15 everywhere.

Remember that all Clothing bought of us is our own make, and that we save you the middleman's profit, which every

other clothier must give to the maker of clothing

from whom he buys his goods.

We thank you for your call.

This is our Trade Mark

Bidwing & Co.  
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Look for it when you buy Clothing

200 dozen Men's Socks, regular 10c Socks, at 5c a pair

If You  
Pay More

Than we charge for Underwear, you pay too much, if you pay less you get less value, less wear, less satisfaction, less material or all. Two lines are very special bargains, as we view them.

LADIES' JERSEY RIBBED VESTS

Pants to match, all sizes, very elastic, heavy weight, fleece lined, silk crocheted around neck, and pearl buttons, 25 cents.

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Shirts and Drawers, good weight, soft and warm, not all wool, but better for that, they won't shrink, silk trimmed neck and pearl buttons, and priced at 39c.

About 20 other kinds in stock, cheaper and better.

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As you would your banker—for reliability (as well as for lowness of price). Judge of our ability as you judge the bank, by the business already done. Many very particular people have judged us this way and have chosen us as "their milliner."

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To be sure not French Felt, but good Felt, the leading shapes and colors, all velvet bound edges.

\$1.25 CHENILLE HATS 75c.

Probably you will pay \$1.25 or more for this kind of a hat at a millinery store, but here 75 cts. Hand made on wire from the best shapes and right colors.

Trimmed Hats in great variety \$1.50 up.

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